



**OUR DAILY BREAD SOUP KITCHEN & SOCIAL CENTER
2022 ANNUAL REPORT**

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A LETTER FROM LEADERSHIP

Dear Friends,

Our Daily Bread recently had the good fortune to connect with the Nancy and David Wolf Holocaust & Humanity Center. This stunning local treasure tells the story of the Holocaust, but the focus of the museum is on people known as upstanders. Bystanders stand by— they wring their hands, they let cruelty unfold. Upstanders DO something.*


The good news is that upstanders are everywhere.
The great news is that everyone can be an upstander.

Cookie Vogelpohl, our founder, was an upstander. She saw a man eating out of a garbage can and was shocked and hurt. How could this happen? Someone should do something! She sought counsel from her aunt. Her aunt said, “YOU are someone, Cookie.” Cookie built Our Daily Bread so no one would have to eat alone again.

Cookie had charisma, talent, grace and a tremendous sense of humor. She had the kind of character that made people want to follow her lead. She led by example, and she led with love. It’s easy to say, “yeah, but I’m not Cookie – she was special.”

The good news is that Cookie was Cookie.
The great news is that everyone is someone.
This annual report is a love letter to our volunteers.
In the face of hunger and loneliness, they serve with a smile.
In the face of shaky environmental times, they rescue food.
In the face of an “us” versus “them” world, they reach across the divide with curiosity, empathy and compassion.
The good news is the volunteers of Our Daily Bread.
The great news is that there is always room for one more.

Sincerely,



Georgine Getty, Executive Director
Linda Berger, Board President



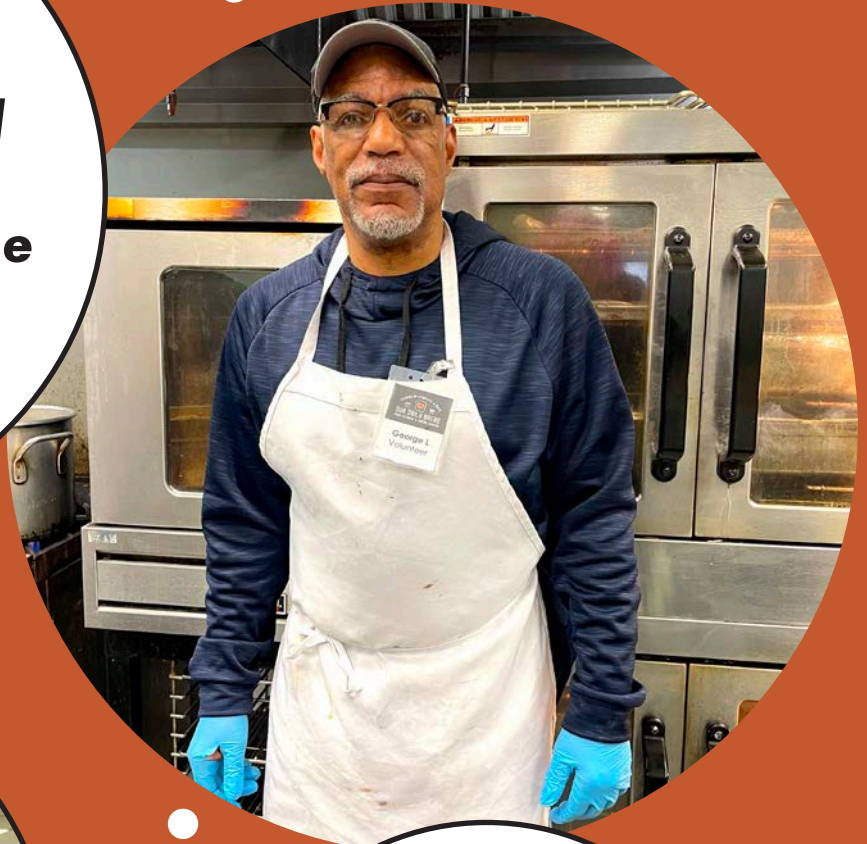
**To learn more about the museum and their Upstander Program, please visit www.holocaustandhumanity.org.*

WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS



**"It's
a great
group of people,
both staff and
volunteers. There's a
great need, and this
is a worthy cause."
-Winston C**

**"I
like to
give back to the
community. I used
to eat at a shelter,
and God blessed me
so that I can bless
others."
-George L**



**"I
volunteer
because it
makes me feel
more a part of
Cincinnati."
-Christy K**



SOCIAL CENTER

MONDAY



Dave, Addiction Services



narcan distribution, Crossroads

We have a lot going on in our dining room with many visiting agencies and activities. We are so pleased to work with others who care about our guests and want to provide them with support. We are also enjoying having fun activities for guests again. Look how much happens in one week!

TUESDAY



bingo day



Jessica, Freestore Foodbank

WEDNESDAY



Sarah, Hamilton County QRT

THURSDAY



Ashleigh, Goodwill

FRIDAY



art station



karaoke day

birthday bag program



SHOUT-OUT CORNER

Thanks to our awesome social worker, Ms. Pamela Lewis,
we were able to provide 398 individuals
with social services in 2022!



DEDICATION TO MISSION



***"Closing
your eyes to
homelessness
doesn't make it go
away. You have to
do something."
-MaryJo F***



**"I
started
when Covid hit.
Loved it ever since,
so I just keep coming
back. I feel useful
and appreciated."
-Marlene L**

**"I
volunteer
because I
enjoy giving
back to the
community."
-Evan B**



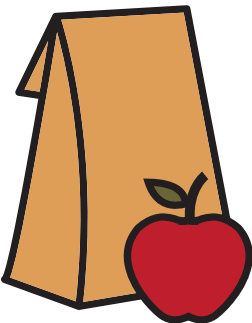
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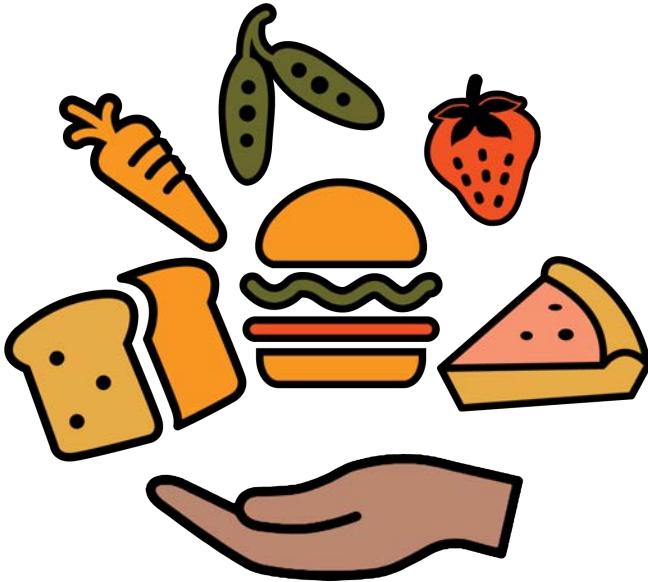
28,081
**DINE-IN
MEALS**



71,658
**TO-GO
MEALS**



36,925
**SNACK
BAGS**



100%
OF FOOD SERVED
WAS RESCUED
OR DONATED

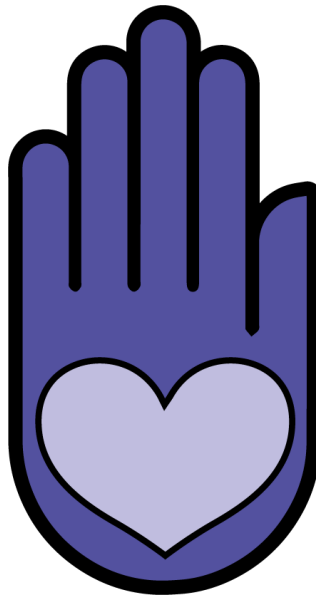
187,878
POUNDS OF DONATED
& RESCUED FOOD



\$515,341
VALUE OF DONATED &
RESCUED FOOD

VOLUNTEERS STEPPED UP: 2022 vs 2021

In 2022
alone,
volunteers
gave:



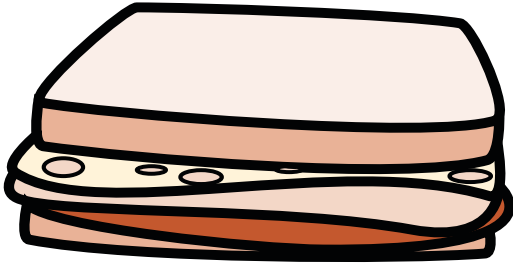
+23%

**14,310
VOLUNTEER
HOURS**

+19%

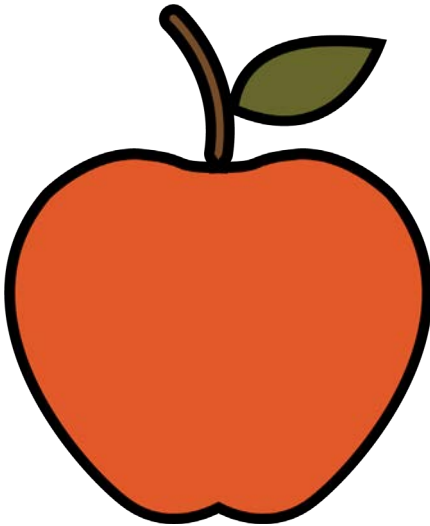
**5,776
VOLUNTEER
SHIFTS**





+34%

**128,656
SANDWICHES
MADE &
DONATED**



**2,952
FOOD
DONATION
DROP-OFFS**

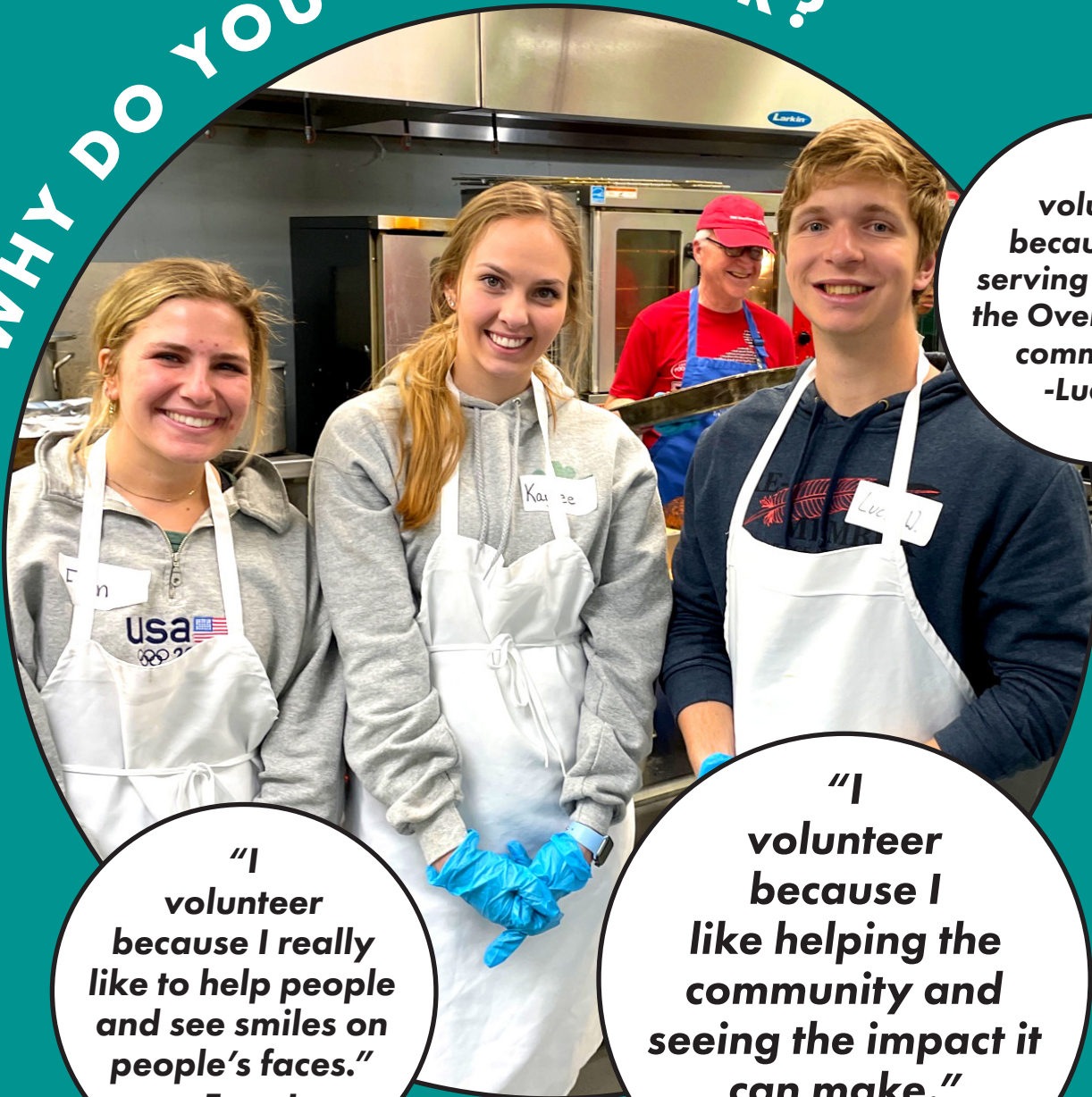
+16%

SHOUT-OUT CORNER

*Thank you so much to everyone who made sandwiches!
We were able to provide an average of 3.5
sandwiches per snack bag, up from
2 per bag last year!*



WHY DO YOU VOLUNTEER?



**"I
volunteer
because I really
like to help people
and see smiles on
people's faces."
-Fran I**

**"I
volunteer
because I
like helping the
community and
seeing the impact it
can make."
-Kaylee H**

**"I
volunteer
because I like
serving alongside
the Over the Rhine
community."
-Lucas W**

20 YEARS AT ODB

Kathy Schickel is celebrating her 20th year of work at Our Daily Bread. As Director of Operations, she oversees the majority of our day-to-day work as a soup kitchen. This includes managing an ever-changing roster of volunteers, upwards of 15 each day and 100 per week.

What does a typical day at ODB look like for you?

Greeting staff, volunteers and guests, and troubleshooting the day's challenges to keep things running smoothly. But first, coffee!

Why do you think people volunteer, and what keeps them coming back?

I think people start volunteering with us because they have a desire to help people, and they stick around for the sense of community, connections with new friends, and the rewards of knowing they're making a difference and brightening someone's day.

Have you ever volunteered somewhere?

I did a lot when my kids were in school! I took the lead on the hot lunch program at my kids' grade school. They only had bag lunches, so once a week the kids were able to place an order ahead of time for food from maybe Arby's or pizza. We'd get a meal count and place the order, and we would make sure the kid got the lunch they wanted. It took a lot of organization, planning ahead and communication. I enjoyed seeing my kids during the school day, meeting their friends, and getting to know other parents.

What is something you have learned from a volunteer?

Early on in working at ODB, I was feeling overwhelmed by the daily challenges guests were having. A volunteer who had been around a while advised me to change my mindset, to just come in each day expecting the challenges. That way, if it was a quiet day, I'd be pleasantly surprised. If it was a hard day, I was ready for it. It worked. There is never a dull moment here, and that's ok.

Tell us about an interesting thing that's happened with a volunteer.

Years ago, a guest came in with a big cut on his thumb that wouldn't stop bleeding. He asked for help, and luckily that day we had a volunteer who's a retired nurse, Rita. I asked her to take a look at his thumb and see how severe it was. She cleaned it up, bandaged it, and he was able to safely get to the hospital for stitches. Whenever he comes in ODB on a day Rita is here, he asks where "his lifesaver" is. It's really sweet that he thinks of her that way.

Is there anything you would like to add?

I love working with volunteers, because they all bring different perspectives, personalities, and life experiences, and it's amazing to see them come together as a cohesive team with one goal. Go team ODB!



DONATIONS IN TRIBUTE

In Honor Of

Cookie Vogelpohl
Terissa Ancona
Carol Bamberry
Dennis Bley
Sandra Boesing
Dawn Bruestle
Paul Bulger
Angie Burns
Ralph Chambers
Phil Cohen
Suzanne Crable
James Dahmann
Kay & Tom Dahmann
Don & Julie Doyle
Al Faulhaber
Lauren Fitzgerald
Lela Foley
BJ Foreman
Mary Frede
Pat Frericks
John Frick
Cory Frost
Angelo Gallino
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Amy Getty
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The Hines Family
Bruce & Jane Horowitz (marriage)
Kathy & Dennis Jochem
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Nancy Rudge
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Robert Schneider
Diane & Mike Schulhoff
Fran Sculli
Julia Sharp
St. Margaret of York Parish
Carol Staiger
Jim Stegeman
Robert J. Stephens (retirement)
Pat Streicher
David Sunberg
Chris Weber
Fr. Michael Willig (ordination)
Sr. Betty Zengel (70th Jubilee)

Happy Anniversary

Ann & Dan Brooker (32nd)
Mr. & Mrs. Mike Scott (50th)
Ralph & Susan VonderHaar
(50th)

Happy Birthday

Jane Ackerson
Julie Bates
Lori Benedetti (60th)

Linda Berger
Beth Corbo
Mark DeNoma (63rd)
John D'Sai
Sandra Feldhaus
Martha Helmick
Jack Keller
Hal Klink (80th)
Kathy Reid
David Rosner
Mary Schleibaum
Sandra Schroer
Doug Schroer
Emily Seger
Linda Tallarigo
Krista Tepe
Maureen Viel
Ann Weber

In Memory Of

Andrea Accurso
Sal April
Miriam Arnold
Jean Ascolese
Anne Bauer-Lanning

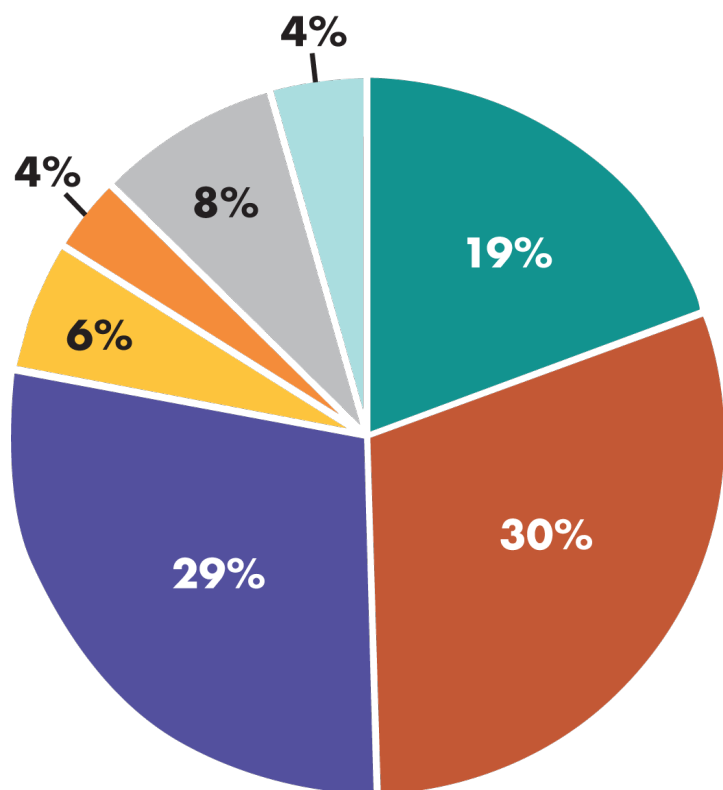
Henry Boesing
Mary L. Boylan
Steve Bruce
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Shirley Carroll
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Richard Dagenbach
James & Lucille Durkin
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Richard Ebner
Patty Eiben
Mary Beth Feist
Will Fliehm
Bill Gilham
Sushil Goyal
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Tim Griffin
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Rose Voulgarakis
Marilyn Wilke

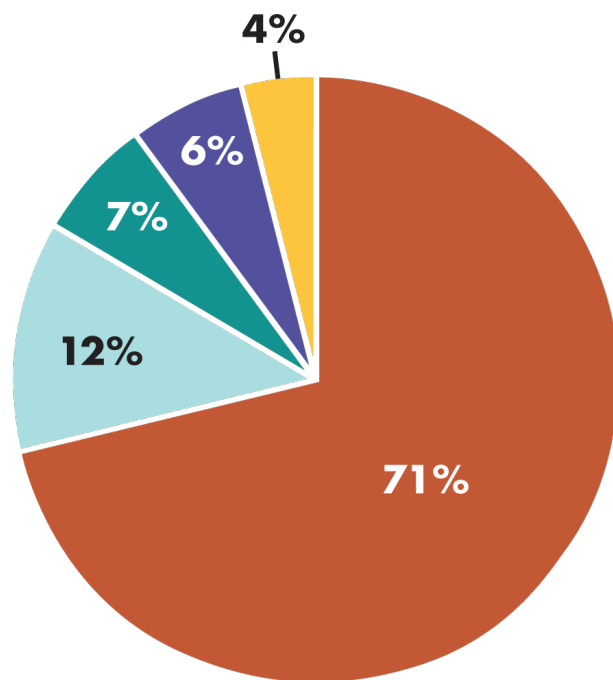
DONATE A TRIBUTE

Contact Val Elfers:
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2022 OPERATING INCOME & EXPENSE REPORT



GRANTS & AWARDS	\$337,376
IN-KIND DONATIONS (FOOD)	\$525,682
DONATIONS FROM INDIVIDUALS	\$495,366
COMPANIES & OTHER CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS	\$102,820
ENDOWMENT SUPPORT	\$60,000 *
APPEALS	\$144,137
MEMORIALS	\$76,200
TOTAL INCOME	\$1,741,581



HOSPITALITY/KITCHEN	\$830,694
ADMINISTRATION	\$245,981
SOCIAL WORK	\$84,612
FUNDRAISING	\$80,776
EMERGENCY FUNDS	\$65,813
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,461,608 **
NET INCOME	\$279,937

* Represents board-approved draw from investment account of approximately 3% to support operations
** Prior to depreciation expenses of \$36,455

2022 STAFF & BOARD

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ONE GOAL @ OUR DAILY BREAD *SERVING UP STABILITY & HOPE IN OVER THE RHINE SINCE 1985*

♥ OUR VISION ♥

Every person in the Greater Cincinnati community has sufficient access to food, essential social services and a safe place of belonging.

♥ OUR MISSION ♥

To provide stability and hope to guests in need by offering meals, hospitality and services in a safe, respectful environment in Over the Rhine.